Prince William Forest Park

National Park Service U.S. Department of the Interior

Prince William Forest Park Triangle, Virginia



Internship Opportunities Available!

Gain experience...

Build a resume....

Intern in a National Park...

Prince William Forest Park, a unit of the National Park Service located in Triangle, VA is looking for anyone 18-25 years of age who has graduated from high school to become an intern through the Student Conservation Association (SCA).

Available Interships include:

Interpretation & Visitor Services Intern: staff the park visitor center; present interpretive programs to the public; produce brochures and other publications for the National Park Service. Skillsdesired: customer service/retail; computer skills (Microsoft suite; Adobe Photoshop, Adobe InDesign).

Education Intern: assist the National Park Service to write an educational curriculum on the Great Depression/1930's era; work at the park visitor center; produce educational publications for the National Park Service. Skills needed: college or graduate level experience in education desired; perfect for former school teachers.

Maintenance Intern: perform carpentry, painting, and roofing on historic buildings and structures built by the Civilian Conservation Corps; perform landscape work around historic structures; assist park leaders in gathering materials to complete the job; Skills desired: carpentry, painting, roofing, and landscaping.

Resource Management Intern: assist with control and eradication of invasive exotic vegetation in non-managed landscapes; priority actions include inventory, control, restoration, use GIS for data reporting; provide education to park neighbors on how to prevent and control exotic invasive infestations that threaten park land. Skillsdesired: experience with GIS information systems, and plant identification.

Who may apply?

Anyone 18-25 years of age who has graduated from high school.

Will I get paid?

Yes! You will receive a bi-weekly stipend to cover basic expenses. The amount varies, but it typically is about \$60/week. In addition, you may receive education credit based on length of service through AmeriCorps. These credits may be used for college tuition or to repay student loans.

How do I apply?

Through the SCA - visit www.thesca.org or call 603-543-1700.

For more information:

Contact park administration at 703-221-2366; visit the park website at www.nps.gov/prwi